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MY FIRST EQUESTRIAN EXPERIENCE.

not appear until the next day.

being told to keep my joints stiffened. I got half way up the side of the horse, and clung to the saddle; there I hung like Mahomet's coffin. I think now that I must have given the lookers-on the benefit of some frog-like motions with my lower limbs; for I know I worked them vigorously before I got to the saddle. When once there I seated myself triumphantly, pannier-fashion, with my face toward Uncle Jack's front door, and my right ear on a line with my horse's head.

"Put your right limb over the pommel," was Phil's next order, with an annoyed look His face was dreadfully flushed, too; no doubtthe effort of raising one hundred and twenty pounds, dead weight; and the faultless kid gloves very much split.

"Now take your rein in your left hand." proceeded Phil, as he gathered up the reins which I had dropped in my scrambling, and gave them to me.

"The left hand !" exclaimed I. for I could argue if I could not ride horseback, "why, that's preposterous, -as if the right hand was not much stronger and more dexterous than

"The left hand is the proper one, nevertheless," was the cool rejoinder of my companion, who was being vexed at the ridioulous aspect

" Well, I'll try it; but if I do not like it, I shall certainly use the other," said I, reso-I happened to glance just then at my cham-

ber window, and there was that vixen of a Jenny peeping through the blinds, and laughing till the tears ran down her face. She was gesticulating violently at the same time, and pointing to my bodice. I looked down, and found that in my efforts to mount, I had broken off nearly every hook which kept it together. To drop the reins and seize my dress by both hands was the work of an instant. In the meantime, the rest of the party had started forward. My horse followed in a hard trot, in spite of my screaming out "ho, we now, stop," and all the other phrases in the equine vocabulary. I instinctively grasped my dress with my left hand, while I pulled on the reins with my right, till I jerked the curb so hard that the horse stood on his hind feet. Just then Phil miscod me, and looked around.

There was an amused expression on his face as he caught sight of me in this comical position. "Don't use your curb, Miss Carry," he said, "Old Nick isn't used to it."

"Old Nick!" I exclaimed. I was in despair. He was known as one of the roughest, most obstinate beasts in Summerville. But I would not ask to go back. There was a spirit of endurance in me that would have made me a martyr in the days of the early church. So I bounded along, rising nearly a foot from the saddle at every step the horse took, till I felt as if flesh and bones were beaten to a jelly. Sometimes my right hand, sometimes my left, sometimes both my hands, were employed to hold in my tormenter. He seemed to have a vicious desire to keep half a length ahead of every other horse of the party.

" If he would only canter it would be easier, but he won't," said Phil, coming to my side. "I feel that," replied I, grasping at my bodice again; "it was very kind of you to procure me so fine a hackney," I continued, bit-

"I am very sorry; but you decided to go at so yery late an hour that every decent horse in the place was engaged."

All this was said with the comfortable feelings of a person who knew that he was riding splendidly, and looking supremely handsome. Brown Tom was in the best of spirits, and went along in a slow, stately gait, his mouth so light that the tension of the rein did not make a crease in his master's glove. Phil's jocky cap was set jauntily on the top of his brown curls. and his velvet riding coat was of the most unexceptionable fit.

What a contrast I presented! With what pins I could find, I managed to stick one here and there in my bodice, between the bounces of Old Nick, but now it was requiring whichever hand I was not using to keep my hat straight and the hair out of my eyes. The very hair that I had been so proud of, in its length and abundance, nearly drove me wild. At last down it came, and I went along bounce, bounce, thump, thump; till it enveloped me like the Lady Godiva's.

After an eternity, it seemed to me, we reached Silver Spring. Never was a poor soul as glad of a respite from torture as I was. I attempted to jump from my horse, as I saw others do, but was so stiff and bruised that I pitched headleng, for the second time that morning, into Phil Darrsh's arms.

Mrs. Jones, who expected us. had breakfast ready, and after binding up my hair, I determined not to think of the return, but to enjoy myself as much as possible. As for that Addy Loomis, she hopped around like a bird, pitying me, and talking of the delights of riding on horseback at the same time. Phil asked me to be helped to a second saucer of strawberries, but insisted upon her taking more. I felt that my kingdom had departed.

How I dreaded to return home, only the uninitiated victim of a hard trotting horse can tell. When once seated, I thought I should never be able to move again. I did not trust to my skill in mounting from Phil's hand this time, but got on Old Nick's in the good old orthodox fashion-from a chair.

My return commenced with the old bounce, bounce, enlivened occasionally with a flap of the arms, very much like that of the wings of a rooster before he crows. At last I got out of all patience, and taking the whip, which I had Catholic church?" The answer was: hung on the crutch of the saddle, not knowing "No, sir; when I do I will comm how to hold it and my horse too, I gave Old Nick half a dozen cuts, as hard as my strength and temper would let me lay on. The beast said : gave a spring, put his head down between his fore feet, I thought, and was off. I was charmed with the experiment, the gait was so easy, and shouted back in my triumphant de-light to those I had left. I never looked which Mr. Douglas answered, in strong, full around, but I heard the clatter of horses' feet voice: behind me for awhile, and then I pleased my-

On and on went Old Nick and myself, occasionally laughing in my delight at the rapid not desire my offices." He then withdrew. motion and easy pace, and giving the animal a During the day (Sunday) Mr. Douglas seemcut if I found any indication of flagging. We- ed to be much better, and strong hopes were men and children rushed out of cottages at our entertained of his recovery. He slept most of approach, and the men working in the fields the day, and in the evening seemed much rethrew down their implements and hurried to freshed. Mrs. Douglas and Mr. Rhodes remainthe roadside. But what cared Old Nick and I ed with him during the night. At about four for their admiration? How we gloried in our o'clock on Monday morning he seemed to be wild huntsman gallop, and how stirringly the much worse, and sank rapidly; his friends fresh morning air whizzed through our ears. I took no heed of the way, for I philosophically concluded that my horse knew it better than myself, and on we went.

At last I noticed that we had left the high road, and turned up a narrow lane. I had not time to wonder at our whereabouts, when, in the midst of his full career, Old Nick stopped. with his head over a fence. He nearly had me over it too. The shock was awful, and I found myself entirely off the saddle, on the top of the pummel, with both arms around the horse's neck. After the first moment of bewilderment was over, I cautiously made my husband if he desired the ministrations of any way back to the seat of the saddle. Then came other clergyman. Mr. Rhodes then said to the tug of war with the beast. Take his head Mr. Douglas: from over the fence, or his eyes off that green

field, he would not. My ride had given me courage. I pulled and whipped, and coaxed, all to no purpose. The horse was as immovable, and as deaf to my tones of endearment, as the bronze one in the equestrian statue of Washington. Presently a "whinney," and a frightful shaking of the

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I did try again vigorously. I performed the rule action the second time, in spite of a long communication by means of some kind

of equine magnetic telegraph.

I pulled and whipped and coaxed again, all to no purpose. I did not know then what I afterward discovered, that Old Nick had vivid recollections of having passed all the spring in that same green field with his ugly black companion. I would not give up, but I was be-ginning to tire of this "masterly inactivity," when, to my great relief, I saw Phil Darrah and some of the gentlemen coming rapidly down the lane.

"Thank heaven! you are not dashed to pieces," was the first exclamation I heard. I looked around triumphantly, and said: Oh, I have had a delightful ride. How

much better Old Nick's canter is (you call it a canter, don't you?), how much easier it is than that horrid trot." "He never cantered a step in his life. He

was running away with you," said Phil, evidently out of patience. "Was he? Well, I didn't know it. I wish he would always run away with me, then,"

was my coel rejoinder. By this time the ladies of the party came up. Each had to tell how frightened she was, and Addy Loomis declared she had nearly fainted, from joy, I suppose.

The ugly customer in the field was whipped away, and Old Nick tugged at till he condeseended to turn his head toward his oats. We walked the rest of the way home, peaceably. I dismounted at the door and went to my bed. where I lay three days unable to move, without the power to raise my hands to my head. I missed the most splendid pic-nic of the season, up at the "Pond of White Lilies," and where Phil proposed to Addy Loomis. I returned home in the fall, and immediately took riding lessons of the best teacher I could find. I can sit a horse like Miss Amazon, but I shall never forget that I was not only nearly beaten to a jelly, but lost Phil Darrrh by that "First Equestrian Expedition."

THE LAST HOURS OF SENATOR DOUG. From the Chicago Tribune.

It was not until some ten days since that Senator Douglas's illness assumed an alarming type. From the first he nad been attended by some of our best medical talent, and latterly it was thought desirable to summon hither Dr. Miller, of Washington, in whose care Mr. Douglas has passed through former severe illness. Dr. Miller and the Washington relatives of Mrs. Douglas reached Chicago on the 25th of Mrs. Douglas reached Chicago on the 25th ult., and since then have been closely in attendance upon him.

Throughout the latter part of last week, Mr. Douglas's condition was deemed extremely critical, with the chances against his recovery. His primary attack was acute rheumatism, which rapidly assumed a typhoid character, and continued from the first very unyielding. After some ten or twelve days, his malady was complicated by an ulcerated sore throat, which soon yielded. Torpor of the liver and constipation of the bowels ensued, soon followed by a juandiced condition, accompanied by poisoning of the blood, which prostrated his nervous system still more.

A wandering and delirious state accompanied his illness more or less from its inception to its fatal close. At such times as he was rational, last week, he seemed aware of the grave fears entertained in his behalf, and on one occasion said to those about him, that he ruin of nearly 3,000 persons, who are actually knew his constitution so much better than they did, he felt confident that he should recover from the attack. Doubtless his will and courage, loined to his great physical power, had much to do with his long continuing to resist a malady before which feebler men would have rapidly succumbed.

Throughout Saturday it was feared he could not survive many hours. As night-fall drew near, without any positive change having taken place in his disease, he yet seemed easier, and so passed the night. He had only brief intervals of consciousness after this, but lay in a quiet state, gradually but surely sinking. At times he briefly rallied, but it was not to a clear perception of what was transpiring about him. On one occasion indeed it was evident that memory and habit of mind was strong in the dying statesman, and that his thoughts were once more in the Senate Chamber. One of his physicians, Dr. Hay, was administering a blister. "What are you doing?" asked the patient; "stop, there are twenty against me-the measure is defeated."

At an early hour yesterday morning he had an interval of rallying, was rational, conversed briefly with those about him, and then sank gently and quietly until ten minutes past nine a. m., when he breathed his last, quietly and without a struggle.

His devoted and loving wife remained with him to the last moment. Madison Cutts, his brother-in-law, Miss Young, of the Tremont House, B. G. Caulfield, and Dr. Hay were also

The Chicago correspondent of the Herald gives the following account :

At about 11 o'clock on Sunday morning Bish. op Dugan called, at the request of friends, to converse with Mr. Douglas, who was then, for the first time, perfectly rational. Mr. Douglas immediately recognized the Bishop, and expressed his gratification at the visit. Bishop Dugan soen asked:

"Mr. Douglas, have you been baptized according to the rites of a church ?" Mr Douglas replied :

The Bishop continued: "Do you desire to have mass said after the ordinances of the holy "No, sir; when I do I will communicate

with you freely." The Bishop then turned to Mr. Rhodes and

"Do you think he is fully possessed of his mental faculties?" Mr. Rhodes replied : " I do not know; perhaps you had better ask him

"You perhaps did not understand me. When self with the idea that I had distanced them I desire it I will communicate with you freely." The Bishop then remarked to Mr. Rhodes, " He is undoubtedly in his right mind, and does were sent for, and at the request of Mrs. Doug-las, Bishop Dugan again visited him. Soon after the Bishop entered, he approached the bed-

side, and addressing the patient, said : "Mr. Douglas, you know your own condition fully, and in view of your approaching dissolution, do you desire the ceremony of extreme unction to be performed?"

Mr. Douglas replied : "No, I have no time to discuss these things

The Bishop then withdrew. After he had gone Mrs. Douglas requested Mr. Rhodes to ask ner

"Do you know the elergymen of this city?" To which Mr. Douglas replied : " Nearly every one of them."

Mr. Rhodes-"Do you wish to have either or any of them call to see you to converse upon religion, subjects?"

Mr. Douglas—"No, I thank you."
Soon after this, about five o'clock, he desired snimal's whole body, nearly startled me from to have his position in bed changed, the blinds opened, and the windows raised. Mr. Rhodes wering the salutation, there estage a great black lifted him to an easier posture, where he could beast, full tilt, tail and mane flying, as he made his way toward us. I expected every morning air. For a few moments he seemed make for \$75, at the Music Store of W. G. Mr. 278, and be salutation. Then he began to sink away;

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to meet him; but the imperturbable old fellow his eyes partially closed, and in slow and measured cadence, with considerable pause between each accent, he uttered :
"Death!—Death!!"

After this he seemed to revive slightly, and Mr. Rhodes asked him whether he had any message to send to his mother or sister Sarah, or his boys, "Robby" and "Stevie," to which he made no reply, evidently net understand-ing the question. Mrs. Douglas then placed her arms around his neck and said :

"My dear, do you know 'Cousin Dan!"" "Yes," he replied. Mrs. Douglas continued :

"Your boys, Robbie and Stevie, and your mother and sister Sarah-have you any message for them ?" The dying man replied

"Tell them to obey the laws and support the Constitution of the United States." At about 5 o'clock Dr. Miller came into the room, and, noticing the open shutters and windows, inquired:

"Why have you all these windows raised, and so much light?" Mr. Douglas replied : "So that we can have

fresh air.' At Mr. Douglas's request, Mr. Rhodes changed the dying man's position again in the bed for the last time. He now lay rather down in the middle of the bed, upon his left side, his head slightly bent forward and off the pillow. His wife sat beside him, holding his right hand in both of her's, and leaning tenderly over him, sobbing. Mr. Rhodes remarked to Mrs. Douglas :

"I am afraid he does not lie comfortable;" in reply to which Mr. Douglas said :

"He is-very comfortable." These were his last intelligible words. From e'clock he was speechless, but evidently retained his consciousness. When, a few moments before his death, his wife leaned lovingly over him and, sobbingly asked, "Husband do you know me? will you kiss me?" he raised his eyes and smiled, and though too weak to speak, the movements of the muscles of the mouth evinced that he was making an almost dying struggle to comply with the re-

His death was calm and peaceful; a few faint breaths after 9 o'clock; a slight rattling of his throat; a short, quick, convulsive shud-der, and Stephen A. Douglas had passed from time into eternity.

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IT During the night of the 10th of May last conflagration laid about two-thirds of the city of Glarus, in Switzerland, in ashes, causing the without shelter.

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armament and provisions, will be provided by the Proposals will only be received from ship builders who are actually engaged in that business, and satisfactory evidence to that effect will be required from parties proposing who are not known to the

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Upon app leation to this Bureau, parties will be furnished with a specification showing the dimentions of the vessel and the description and size of the materials; also, a section showing the length of the timbers amidships. Building plans will be furnished by the Department when a contract is made. With the specifications will be enclosed the form of contract the successful person will be required to execute, with sureties to the full amount of the contract.

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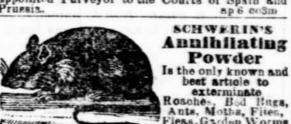
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